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SUBJ: CASE OF MSG TELESFORO SANCHEZ

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1. MFA DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR WESTERN EUROPE AND AMERICA, MANOLATOS, INFORMED EMBOFF MORNING AUGUST 2 THAT SPECIAL COMMITTEE GREEK SUPREME COURT HAD CONVENED PREVIOUS DAY AND HAD SUSTAINED PRIOR JUDICIAL DECISIONS WHICH CONFIRMED LACK OF GREEK JURISDICTION IN SANCHEZ CASE (REFTEL). ALL APPROPRIATE APPEALS PROCEDURES HAVE NOW BEEN EXHAUSTED, AND WE ARE INFORMED THAT SUPREME COURT DECISION (NUMBER 780/1975 DATED AUGUST 1) IS FINAL.

2. MANOLATOS TOLD EMBOFF THAT SUPERVISING DISTRICT ATTORNEY FAFOUTIS HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO TURN OVER ALL PHYSICAL EVIDENCE TO GENERAL COURT MARTIAL (GCM) ATTORNEYS, AND THAT COORDINATION IS ALSO BEING EFFECTED WITH BOTH MINISTRIES OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC ORDER TO ASSURE THE APPEARANCES OF REQUIRED POLICE WITNESSES FOR THE GCM. MANOLATOS CONFIRMED AS WELL THAT A GREEK OFFICIAL

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OBSERVER HAD NOW BEEN NAMED FOR GCM. MANOLATOS

ACKNOWLEDGED THAT IT WOULD NOW BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR GCM TO  
COMMENCE AUGUST 4 BUT HE EXPRESSED HOPE FOR AUGUST 11  
COMMENCEMENT. EMBOFF STATED THAT THIS DEPENDED TO  
SIGNIFICANT DEGREE ON FULLEST COOPERATION ALL GOG OFFICIALS  
ON PHYSICAL EVIDENCE AND AVAILABILITY WITNESSES, AND  
THAT HE WOULD IMMEDIATELY PASS ON ALL THIS INFORMATION  
TO TRIAL COUNSEL.

3. EMBOFF INFORMED TRIAL COUNSEL OF ABOVE FACTS  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ABOVE CONVERSATION AND LATTER  
STATED HE WOULD MOVE AHEAD SOONEST IN EVIDENCE AND  
WITNESS AREA. HE NOTED THAT WHILE AUGUST 11 DATE FOR  
GCM COMMENCEMENT IS POSSIBLE IT CANNOT NOW BE CONSIDERED  
AS DEFINITE. KUBISCH

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